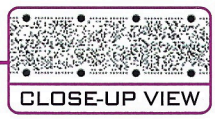
# NINTENDO DEALS OUT SURPRISES WITH A NEW "HI-DECK" CONCEPT.

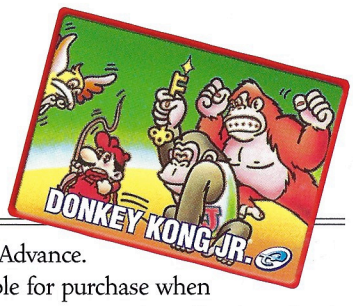
# e-reader™

As if bringing your GCN and GBA together with the Nintendo GameCube Game Boy Advance Cable weren't enough of a quantum leap forward in gaming connectivity, Nintendo ups the ante once again with the e-Reader, which hits stores on September 16. When you attach the e-Reader to your GBA, you can play classic Nintendo and Game & Watch games—and much more! With the cutting-edge technology, you can smoothly scan specially prepared cards to transmit game code to your GBA and even GCN.

**DOT CODE TECHNOLOGY**

Printed bars on each card are encoded with Dot Code technology that contains gaming data. Scan the code—get results on your GBA!



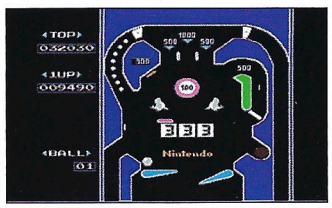




## NES GOES FROM PAKS TO STACKS

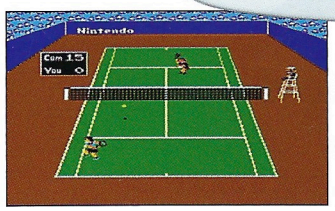
In the '80s, the Nintendo Entertainment System brought megahits like Donkey Kong Jr. to home video gaming via a cartridge Game Pak. Now, with e-Reader technology, the code for an entire NES game can be stored on a stack of just five cards! Scan all five to play the classic on your Game Boy Advance. Five NES games will be available for purchase when the e-Reader launches—each at a suggested retail price of only $4.95—and even more will be available before the end of the year.

Scan five cards, play an NES game. Donkey Kong Jr.-e looks just as great on the GBA as it did back in the NES era.

**Excitebike-e**
The off-road motorcycle racing game Excitebike-e pits you against the clock or against a computer opponent.




**Pinball-e**
Pinball-e allows one player to freak out the flippers of Nintendo's first-ever pinball title on the NES.

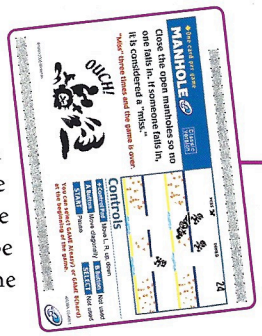


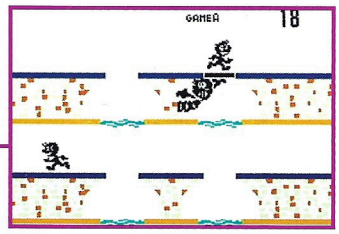

**Tennis-e**
One player can hit the court in Tennis-e, which offers both Singles and Doubles Modes.

**Balloon Fight-e**
Balloon Fight-e offers two modes—one in which you swerve past obstacles and a second that pits you against other balloon fighters.

# TIME FOR A GAME & WATCH COMEBACK

Nintendo released the Game & Watch series of handheld (and wrist-worn) gaming gadgets in the 1980s. Each one contained a different LCD game. With e-Reader technology, you'll need only one or two cards to play a Game & Watch game. Scan cards through the e-Reader to tackle the title immediately on your GBA. One of the classic Game & Watch games, Manhole-e, will be included with the e-Reader, and plenty more of the games are on the way.



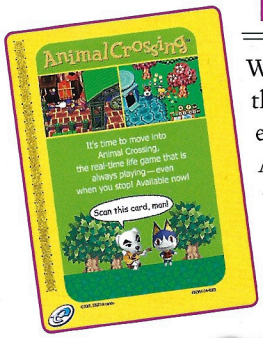



Scan one or two cards, play a Game & Watch game. In Manhole-e, you'll race to cover sewer holes before pedestrians plummet.

# EVEN TRADING CARD GAMES GO DIGITAL

If you've been playing the Pokémon Trading Card Game, you're familiar with collecting all of the available cards so you can slap down the fiercest attacks possible on your opponents. The upcoming expansion, Pokémon-e: Expedition, which hits stores in late August, will add two new dimensions to the game via e-Reader technology. By scanning the short bar, you'll get expanded Pokédex info that will assist you in card-slinging game play. By scanning the long bars on several related cards, you can conjure a Pokémon minigame on your GBA!

By scanning the new Pokémon-e TCG cards for Machop, Machoke and Machamp, you can play a game in which Machop takes on a boulder avalanche.


Animal Crossing
It's time to move into Animal Crossing, the real-time life game that is always playing—even when you stop! Available now!
Scan this card, mom!

# THE GCN CONNECTION

With Nintendo GameCube games that are designed to work with the e-Reader, you'll be able to send game data from your e-Reader/GBA through your Nintendo GameCube Game Boy Advance Cable into the GCN game to get more cool items for your village. The first GCN game to feature the connectivity will be Animal Crossing.

# SCANNING THE HORIZON

Included with the e-Reader, which will sell for a suggested retail price of $39.95, are two foil packs, one of them a Sample Pack. In the other foil pack, you'll find one set for a complete NES game—either DK Jr. or Pinball, so you can get started playing right away. Be on the lookout for more card series and game titles coming this fall. Nintendo plays its latest hand in connectivity, the cards are gonna fly—get ready for the next big deal in gaming!

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